

REMARKS

Applicants have now had an opportunity to carefully consider the Examiner's comments set forth in the Office Action of August 12, 2005.

The Office Action

Claims 1-26 remain in this application.

Claims 1-26 have been allowed.

The disclosure is objected to because of the use of the word "disclosed" in the abstract, and for lack of a brief description of the drawings section.

Amendments to the Specification

This amendment adds a brief description of the drawings section, and eliminates the use of the word "disclosure" in the abstract, in accordance with MPEP § 608.01(b). It is therefore respectfully submitted that the specification is now compliant, and the application is in condition for allowance.

Drawings

The Examiner, as yet, has not indicated the acceptability of the drawings submitted with the utility application, on May 16, 2001. An indication of acceptability of the drawings is earnestly solicited.

Examiner's Reasons for Allowance

The applicant agrees that the Examiner's stated reason for allowance, among other things, defines the present application over the references of record.

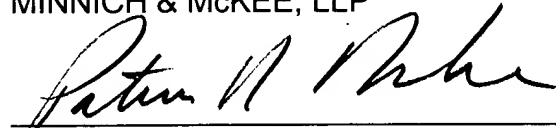
CONCLUSION

For the reasons detailed above, it is submitted all claims remaining in the application (Claims 1-26) are in condition for allowance. The foregoing comments do not require unnecessary additional search or examination.

In the event the Examiner considers personal contact advantageous to the disposition of this case, she is hereby authorized to call Pat Roche, at Telephone Number (216) 861-5582.

Respectfully submitted,

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